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Sir:

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO MARCH 12, 2003 OFFICE ACTION  
AND PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to a March 12, 2003 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the March 12, 2003 Office Action was originally due June 12, 2003. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time. Applicants have previously established small entity status. The required fee for a two-month extension of time for a small entity is \$205.00 and a check for this amount is enclosed. Therefore, a response to the March 12, 2003 Office Action is now due August 12, 2003. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of

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